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IN RESPONSE TO BARRY KOWALSKI'S LETTER TO GUY WATTS CIA OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL DATED DECEMBER 22 1998 YOUR OFFICE MADE MERRELL MCCOLLOUGH'S PERSONNEL, SECURITY AND ~~POLYGRAPH~~ FILES AVAILABLE FOR OUR REVIEW AND WE GREATLY APPRECIATE THAT ASSISTANCE .

Guy —
pls make sure this is linked to the right case. Done ✓ 4/13/99 RDC

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Mr. Robert Caudle
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Dear Mr. Caudle:

In response to Barry Kowalski's letter to Guy Watts, CIA, Office of General Counsel, dated December 22, 1998, your office made Marrell McCollough's personnel, security and polygraph files available for our review and we greatly appreciate that assistance. In addition, however, we need copies of certain materials relevant to the conduct of the criminal investigation initiated by the Attorney General regarding new allegations related to the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. It is our understanding that none of the materials we seek to copy are classified.

Therefore, to comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act, we are making this formal inter-agency "law enforcement request" for materials in accordance with 5 U.S.C.§ 552a(b)(7).

The following is a list of the items that we are requesting to copy:

A. From Mr. McCollough's personnel file, the following documents:

1. Mr. McCollough's letter to the CIA inquiring about employment;
2. Report of Interview on Mr. McCollough;
3. Letter from CIA to Mr. McCollough offering him a position;
4. Letter from Army dated 6 May 74;
5. Routing and Record sheet dated 1 Sept 73;
6. Routing and Record sheet dated 9 Oct 93;

7. Personal History Statement dated 23 Aug 73; and
8. Appointment Affidavit dated 24 Jun 74.

B. From Mr. McCollough's security file the following documents:

1. 16 May 1973, letter from F.J. Warner; and
2. 15 May 1989, internal letter to Headquarters.

C. From Mr. McCollough's polygraph file:

1. The questions and results of his 25 March 1974, intake examination and the name of the polygraph examiner who administered the examinations.

2. The questions and results of his 8 August 1989, examination and the name of the polygraph examiner who administered the examinations in question.

I look forward to meeting with you regarding this and other issues related to our investigation that involve your Agency. Please let me know at that time if there is any problem with this request. If you have any questions in the meantime, please contact Barry Kowalski at (202) 514-4067.

Sincerely,

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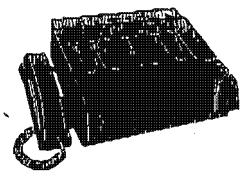

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